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# WHOLESALE LIST - FALL 1940

## NO BULBS FROM HOLLAND THIS SEASON !!

Due to the uncertainty that has existed all summer regarding the arrival of bulbs from Holland, we were unable to make up and print the catalog usually sent to our customers at this time. We have now given up hope of getting any stock from Holland this season and will have to content ourselves with offering whatever bulbs are available from our own farms and other sources that are still open to us.

We have done our best to make the list as complete as possible but of course we sadly miss the Holland supply.

Our customers are asked to accept this folder as the best we can do under existing conditions — and to send their orders in early as the available supply of a great many items is strictly limited.

## Giant Darwin Tulips — English Grown Bulbs

**BARONNE DE LA TONNAYE.** Fine sturdy grower. Deep rose with edges of light pink and toned with blue and white.

**BARTIGON.** Fiery red. The most popular one with florists on account of its earliness and free flowering qualities.

**CLARA BUTT.** Salmon-pink. An old favorite that is still very popular.

**HARRY VEITCH.** Deep red variety with tall, strong stems.

**INGLESCOMBE YELLOW.** Clear light yellow and the most popular in this color.

**MME. KRELAGE.** Lilac-rose color with edges of lighter shade.

**PRINCESS ELIZABETH.** Beautiful clear deep pink with long stem. Popular for forcing.

**KEIZERSKROON.** We were fortunate in being able to get a supply of this favorite single early variety. Bright red with broad yellow border.

All of the above varieties, Per Doz., \$.70; Per 100, \$5.00; Per 1000, \$47.50

<b>MIXTURES OF DARWIN TULIPS</b>	10 ctm. Bulbs—English Grown	per doz. \$.55;	per 100 \$4.00;	per 1000 \$37.50
	9 ctm. Bulbs—American Grown	per doz. .45;	per 100 3.00;	per 1000 25.00

## PAPER-WHITES AND OTHER TENDER NARCISSUS

These Narcissus, with their sweet scented clusters of white, cream and yellow flowers, are used most extensively for winter flowering in the home and the ease with which they can be so readily flowered under home conditions makes them one of the leading subjects for store sales. We suggest that these bulbs be offered for sale in combination with fancy bowls and other containers together with the necessary planting material such as bulb fibre or pearl chips.

For florist's use they provide a quick catch crop through the mid-winter months when flowers are usually scarce and expensive.

### Paper-White Grandiflora

Our bulbs are grown in Northern Florida in a section that has consistently produced the finest quality stock available in this country.

#### LARGE CLUSTERS OF PURE WHITE

Doz.	100	1000	Doz.	100	1000		
12 ctm.	\$.20	\$1.20	\$10.00	14 ctm.	\$.40	\$2.50	\$20.00
13 ctm.	.25	1.75	15.00	15 ctm.	.45	2.75	24.00

DISPLAY CARTON OF PAPER WHITES  
CONTAINS 25 PACKAGES IN CELLOPHANE  
(4 Bulbs Per Package) Price per carton \$1.65

### Soleil D'Or

(Clusters of deep yellow)

Doz.	100	1000	Doz.	100	1000		
14 ctm.	\$.70	\$4.75	\$40.00	15 ctm.	\$.85	\$5.25	\$48.00
				16 ctm.	\$1.00	\$6.00	\$54.00

### CHINESE SACRED LILIES

(Clusters of cream yellow with darker yellow eye)

Doz.	100	1000
\$.70	\$4.75	\$40.00

# WALTER J. GUILLE, INC.

FLOWER BULB SPECIALISTS

HICKSVILLE, LONG ISLAND, NEW YORK

# Daffodils (Hardy Narcissus)

Finest Quality - Northwestern Grown

	Doz.	100	1000
ALBA PLENA ODORATA (Albino)	\$ .80	\$5.25	\$45.00
BARRI CONSPICUUS (Barri)	.70	4.75	40.00
DOUBLE VAN SION (Van Sion)	.70	4.75	40.00
EMPEROR (Ajax)	.90	6.00	50.00
	.65	4.50	38.00
EMPRESS (Ajax)	.90	6.00	50.00
	.65	4.50	38.00
GLORY OF LISSE (Poeticus)	.90	6.00	50.00
KING ALFRED (Ajax)	1.25	8.50	75.00
	1.10	7.20	60.00
	.90	6.00	50.00
	.65	4.20	35.00
LAURENS KOSTER (Poeticus)	.80	5.25	45.00
MINISTER TALMA (Ajax)	1.15	7.75	65.00
	.80	5.25	45.00
ORNATUS (Poeticus)	.70	4.75	40.00
QUEEN OF THE NORTH (Leedsii)	.65	4.20	35.00
RECURVUS (Also known as Pheasant's Eye)	.75	5.00	42.50
SIR WATKIN (Incomp)	.90	6.00	50.00
	.70	4.75	40.00
SULPHUR PHOENIX (Leedsii)	.70	4.75	40.00
WHITE LADY (Leedsii)	.65	4.50	38.00

# Amaryllis - Giant Hybrids

A Specialty With Us

Our 24-inch bulbs, which offer a wide selection of the development of these plants, are available in the Hybrid Amaryllis program we have added in their development and have started many companies growing them, and we never get an unfavorable report.

Our hybrid bulbs, the size with which they can be flowered makes them the outstanding feature of the program, and they also make a beautiful gift plant for all occasions.

	Doz.	100	1000
2 1/4 to 2 1/2 in.	\$1.50	\$10.00	\$90.00
2 1/2 to 3 in.	2.00	12.50	120.00
3 to 3 1/2 in.	2.50	17.50	160.00
3 1/2 to 4 in.	3.50	25.00	225.00
4 in. and up	4.50	35.00	

## Amaryllis Halli

(Lycoris Squamigera)

The bulb produces its foliage in spring which is followed by a tall flowering spike of several flowers in mid-summer. These are the hardy and splendid specimen which are summer flowering in northern gardens.

Each, \$1.00; per dozen, \$10.00; per 100, \$75.00

## Anemones

Anemones are among the most beautiful of all bulbous subjects and well grown flowers of good strains invariably bring high prices. They will flower over a long period and they are a very profitable crop for those who can grow them and every grower, even with some experience, find some greenhouse location that will suit them.

	Doz.	100	1000
DE CAEN (Large and extra)			
1-yr. bulbs	\$ .30	\$1.80	\$15.00
2-yr. bulbs	.50	3.00	25.00
ST. BRIGID (Small bulb)			
1-yr. bulbs	.50	3.00	24.00
2-yr. bulbs	.65	4.00	35.00

## Callas

Calla flowers are an important subject in our flower program and every grower should have a planting.

	Doz.	100	1000
AETHIOPICA (White)			
1 1/4 to 1 1/2 in.	\$ .85	\$6.00	\$50.00
1 1/2 to 2 in.	1.50	10.00	85.00
2 to 2 1/2 in.	3.00	19.00	160.00
ELLIOTTIANA (Yellow)			
2 to 2 1/2 in.	\$1.80	\$12.00	\$100.00
2 1/2 to 3 in.	2.70	18.00	150.00
ALBA MACULATA (White with spotted foliage)			
2 to 2 1/2 in.	1.80	12.00	100.00
REHMANNI (Pink)			
1 1/4 in.	5.00	37.50	
PICTUM (Red)			
2 1/2 in.	3.50	25.00	

## Bleeding Heart

(Dicentra)

Our Bleeding Heart plants are of the variety that will flower in the winter months. They are the most beautiful and are a great asset to any winter garden. They are also a very profitable crop for those who can grow them and every grower, even with some experience, find some greenhouse location that will suit them.

<b>LARGE FIELD CLUMPS</b>		
Per doz., \$3.00,	per 100, \$20.00,	per 1000, \$180.00
<b>WRAPPED DIVISIONS</b>		
per doz., \$1.25	per 100, \$8.00,	per 1000, \$75.00

NOTE: YOU MAY DEDUCT 5% WHEN CASH ACCOMPANIES ORDER

## Daffodil Mixtures

Naturalization Mixture

Doz., \$ .35	100, \$2.50	1000, \$20.00
Special Price for 10,000 \$175.00		
<b>TRUMPET MIXTURE</b>		
Doz. \$ .60	100, \$4.50	1000, \$40.00
<b>SHORT CUP MIXTURE</b>		
Doz. \$ .40	100, \$3.00	1000, \$25.00

Less Than 25 Bulbs Sold at the Dozen Rate, From 25 to 249 at the 100 Rate, 250 and More at the 1000 Rate

## FREESIAS

Freeseias have long been a popular Florists' item and now that no Dutch bulbs are available the prospect for good flower prices is bright.

	Doz.	100	1000
<b>PURITY SUPERFLORA.</b> Best white			
1/2 to 5/8 inch .....	\$ .20	\$1.10	\$ 7.50
5/8 to 3/4 inch .....	.20	1.20	10.00
<b>GOLDEN DAFFODIL.</b> Finest yellow			
1/2 to 5/8 inch .....	.20	1.10	7.50
5/8 to 3/4 inch .....	.25	1.50	12.00
<b>MARIE FISCHER</b>			
1/2 to 5/8 inch .....	.20	1.25	11.00
5/8 to 3/4 inch .....	.25	1.75	14.00
<b>MRS. MARC. PETERS</b>			
1/2 to 5/8 inch .....	.20	1.25	11.00
5/8 to 3/4 inch .....	.25	1.75	14.00
<b>PINK BEAUTY.</b>			
1/2 to 5/8 inch .....	.20	1.25	11.00
5/8 to 3/4 inch .....	.25	1.75	14.00
<b>RAINBOW MIXTURE.</b> All colors			
1/2 to 5/8 inch .....	.20	1.25	10.00
5/8 to 3/4 inch .....	.25	1.50	12.50

## BULBOUS IRIS

No other bulbous crop offers such a spread between bulb costs and average flower return as these Iris. They occupy small greenhouse space and are not difficult to force when simple basic cultural rules are followed. And they do well outdoors, too—either in frames or in the field. With careful planning a constant crop of flowers can be had from Christmas to June and they invariably bring big prices.

	Doz.	100	1000
<b>IMPERATOR.</b> Finest of the late blues. Strong grower and large, sturdy flower			
6-7 ctm. ....	\$ .20	\$1.20	\$10.00
7-8 ctm. ....	.30	2.00	18.00

	Doz.	100	1000
<b>WEDGEWOOD.</b> The earliest blue. Readily flowered for Christmas			
8-9 ctm. ....	\$ .30	\$2.00	\$16.00
9-10 ctm. ....	.60	4.00	35.00

## JAPANESE IRIS

Here is an opportunity to obtain a representative list of the World's finest Japanese Iris at very reasonable prices. These Iris are rapidly gaining favor as the showiest summer garden flower.

	Per Doz.	Per 100
<b>BETTY F. HOLMES.</b> Double. Snow-white cream styles, lemon-yellow throat .....	\$2.15	\$15.00
<b>BLUE GIANT.</b> Truly a giant. Blue with shades of violet and purple .....	1.50	10.50
<b>CHUTSAI.</b> Single. Mauve with snow-white branches .....	1.50	10.00
<b>HERCULE.</b> Double. Large petals, round, slightly waved, shades of blue and purple, yellow base .....	1.50	10.00
<b>KOKI-NO-IRO.</b> Double. Frilled branches and 6 1/2 inch petals. Royal blue with shades of violet .....	1.50	11.00
<b>LA FAVORITE.</b> Double. Large white with delicate veins of purple .....	2.15	15.00
<b>LIGHT-IN-THE-OPAL.</b> Double. Gorgeous genuine pink with golden throat surrounded by a halo of blue .....	3.50	24.00
<b>MRS. GEORGE STUMPP.</b> Single. Large white petals. Tiny mauve standards .....	1.75	12.00
<b>NEPTUNE.</b> Single. Red-purple. A beauty .....	2.15	15.00
<b>PATROCLE.</b> Single. Amethyst-violet. Yellow throat .....	1.75	12.00
<b>RED RIDING HOOD.</b> Single. Red veined white .....	1.75	12.00
<b>HYBRID SEEDLINGS.</b> Everyone different and a wide color range. Very often these seedlings contain varieties of exceptional color and value. Special price per thousand \$40.00 .....	.75	5.00

## Leucojum Vernum

These flowers resemble giant Snowdrops and have foliage like Narcissus with about the same height. They naturalize readily and are a beautiful subject in any garden.

per doz. \$ .60; per 100, \$4.50; per 1000, \$40.00

## HARDY LILIES

These aristocrats of the summer garden are now within reach of everyone's purse. Every florist should plant them and every storekeeper should feature them. They add a dignified beauty to any garden setting that cannot be obtained with other subjects.

### LILIUM AURATUM (Goldband)

Late November Delivery

A tall, noble Lily, growing 4 to 6 feet high. Its huge flowers are white with red spots and a golden rib down the center of each petal.

	Doz.	100
8-9 inches .....	\$1.75	\$12.00
9-11 inches .....	2.40	18.00

### LILIUM CANDIDUM (Madonna Lily)

September Delivery

One of the most beautiful and popular of all Hardy Lilies. Should be planted early for best results. We offer a limited supply of home grown bulbs.

	Doz.	100
7-9 inches .....	\$2.00	\$15.00
9-11 inches .....	3.00	20.00

### LILIUM HENRYI

Late November Delivery

A very tall, robust grower bearing yellow flowers with lighter stamens.

	Doz.	100
8-10 inches .....	\$1.75	\$12.00
9-11 inches .....	2.40	18.00

### LILIUM REGALE

September Delivery

Not only is this one of the most beautiful of all Hardy Lilies, but it has the additional important quality of seemingly adapting itself to many different locations and doing uniformly well. It will thrive and produce splendidly in any ordinary garden. It is a white trumpet Lily with markings of pink, yellow and light brown, extremely fragrant and flowers in June.

	Doz.	100
6-8 inches .....	\$1.00	\$ 7.00
7-9 inches .....	1.25	8.50
8-10 inches .....	1.65	12.00
10 inches up .....	2.00	15.00

### LILIUM RUBRUM

Late November Delivery

A Japanese Lily, growing 3 to 4 feet high with large open flowers of carmine-pink with crimson spots.

	Doz.	100
8-9 inches .....	\$1.50	\$10.00
9-11 inches .....	2.25	16.00

### LILIUM TIGRINUM—Single (Tiger Lily)

October Delivery

Orange-yellow with black spots. A great favorite that gives splendid results, without much coddling, and quickly increases into large clumps or colonies in the hardy border.

	Doz.	100
Price .....	\$ .90	\$6.50



## ORNITHOGALUM

ARABICUM. Large umbel of bell-shaped flowers with black centers.

Doz., \$55; 100, \$3.60; 1000, \$30.00

THRYSOIDES. This is the famous "Chrysanthemum" flower of South Africa which is noted chiefly for its long bearing qualities as the flowers can be maintained in perfect condition for months. Large spike of white flowers.

Doz., \$55; 100, \$3.60; 1000, \$30.00

## Nerine Sarniensis

This is one of the most beautiful of all bulbous subjects. The bulbs, which are perfectly hard in the South, flower in early fall, so must be planted early. They are well adapted to garden and home flowering in the North where they bloom with little care and attention in a remarkably short period. Now being used for cut flower purposes by florists.

Per Doz., \$1.50; Per 100, \$10.00; Per 1000, \$75.00

## PEONIES THE FALL IS THE PROPER TIME TO PLANT PEONIES

	Doz.	100
ALBATRE. A fine white with nice form and substance.	\$1.75	\$12.00
ALBERT CROUSSE. Tall, late, rosy white, flecked with crimson. Large bomb-shaped flower.	1.75	12.00
BARONESS SCHROEDER. Large, globular flowers. Flesh white turning to milky white.	2.00	15.00
COURONNE d'OR. White with yellow tints. Center petals edged with carmine. Large flower. Good keeper. Late.	2.00	15.00
EDULIS SUPERBA. Favorite light pink for commercial growers.	1.75	12.00
EUGENE VERDIER. Hydrangea-pink with deeper center and crimson spots.	1.75	12.00
FELIX CROUSSE. Rich red and the most popular one of this color.	2.00	15.00
FESTIVA MAXIMA. Pure white with crimson markings on center petals. The most popular white.	1.75	12.00
GERMAINE BIGOT. Lilac-rose. Large, flat flower. Mid-season.	2.00	15.00
JAMES KELWAY. Tall, large flowers. Pure white with pink shadings and yellow base.	2.00	15.00
KARL ROSENFELD. Very large, early red. Strong grower, tall and free flowering.	2.00	15.00
MONS. JULES ELIE. Considered by many as the finest heavy of all. Beautiful glowing pink.	2.00	15.00
QUEEN VICTORIA. While the flower is smaller than most it is one of the most profitable whites to grow on account of its free flowering and long keeping qualities.	1.75	12.00
REINE HORTENSE. Soft, flesh pink with crimson slashes. Large and beautiful flat flower.	1.75	12.00
SARAH BERNHARDT. Large, strong grower of apple-blossom-pink, each petal edged with silver.	2.00	15.00

## Wrapped Peonies in Separate Colors

Each individually wrapped in cellophane and wrapped in paper under large glass bell jar or crupper.

	Doz.	100	1000
Red and white, 2 to 3 eyes.	\$1.25	\$9.00	\$85.00
White and white, 2 to 3 eyes.	1.75	12.00	115.00

## RANUNCULUS

These plants must be handled as greenhouse subjects in the North but in the Southern and Western States they do splendidly outdoors. The strain that we offer shows a marked improvement over the older types and the flowers are larger, more double, and the most beautiful color.

### FRENCH HYBRIDS

A mixture containing all of the finest colors.

	Doz.	100	1000
Top Size	\$ .40	\$3.00	\$25.00
1st Size	.30	2.00	16.00
2nd Size	.20	1.50	12.00

## SUPPLIES FOR BULB DEALERS

### PEARL CHIPS—Colored

1-lb. cellophane bags—per 100 bags	\$6.00
100-lb bag	4.00
5 100-lb bags	18.00
10 100-lb bags	35.00

### PEARL CHIPS—White

1-lb. cellophane bags—per 100 bags	\$5.00
100-lb bag	3.00
5 100-lb bags	14.00
10 100-lb. bags	27.00

### BULB FIBER

1-qt. packages—per 100	\$6.00
100-lb. bag	3.50

### BULB PEBBLES—Washed and Screened

100-lb. bag	\$2.00
5 100-lb. bags	8.75
10 100-lb. bags	16.50
20 100-lb. bags	30.00

## Terms and Conditions of Sale

This list cancels all previous quotations. Prices as quoted are f. o. b. Hicksville, and include packing. Terms are less 5% for cash with order or net 60 days, less 2% in ten days, on approved credit.

## Non-Warranty

Although we exercise the greatest care and precaution in sending out only such stock as should perform entirely satisfactory, we nevertheless give no guarantee, expressed or implied, as to the quality, description or productiveness of any bulbs or roots we send out and will in no way be responsible for the crop. If the purchaser does not accept our bulbs or roots under these conditions, they are at once to be returned. No claims whatever will be allowed unless reported to us within 48 hours after the merchandise is received.

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